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Work will compare with
that of any other firm.

The Cedarville Herald.

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denotes that a season's subscrip-
tion is past due and a prompt ad-
justment is earnestly desired.

THIRTY-SEVENTH YEAR. NO. 46

CEDARVILLE, OHIO, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1914.

PRICE, \$1.00 A YEAR

ACCEPTS CALL TO R. P. CHURCH.

Rev. J. L. Chesnut of Centerville, Ill., has notified the local R. P. congregation of his intention to accept the call which was extended some time ago. About two years ago Rev. Chesnut was asked to come here but he declined. Dr. Chesnut is secretary of the Foreign Missionary Board of the R. P. church and one of the leading ministers of the denomination. He has been pastor of the Centerville congregation for about twenty years and he no doubt regretted very much to leave a people where he had ministered so long and faithfully. The call carries with it a salary of \$1400 annually and parsonage and Dr. Chesnut expects to enter upon his work here January 1. His family consists of his wife, a daughter, teaching in the public schools in Centerville, and James, a student in college here. The local congregation has been without a regular pastor since Rev. Mills J. Taylor was called to the Second U. F. church in Middletown, Ill.

ABE MARTIN WEDDING AND MERCHANT'S CARNIVAL.

A home talent play will be given at the opera house Monday evening, November 16, for the benefit of the Ladies Aid of the M. E. church. Do not miss this opportunity of seeing one of the most home talent plays ever given here. Fun and music. All the leading players of business represented by young people in costumes. A rural wedding. Everyone come. Seats 50c at Johnson's Jewelry store. Play open Friday.

NOTICE TO HUNTERS.

No hunting or trespassing by persons with dog or gun.

J. C. Townley,
David Johnson,
Edw. Dahn,
John Ryke,
R. H. Johnson,
O. W. Crouse.

NOTICE.

The Cedarville Township Library Board of Trustees will meet in special session, Friday evening, November 20th, at 7 o'clock, in Carnegie library to act upon bids for librarian during the coming year.

W. R. McChesney, Pres.
M. J. March, Sec.
W. H. Barber, Treas.

INSURANCE.

Now is the time to look out for your insurance, both fire and tornado. I represent The National Fire Insurance Company, The New Underwriters, The Queen of America, The Pennsylvania Fire Insurance Company. Combined assets \$50,000,000.

ANDREW JACKSON.

For Rent—Store room, on South Main street.
H. A. Turnbull.

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Tremendous Bargains in
Coats and Suits
\$10, \$12.50, \$15 and \$20

To get the public acquainted with our new location we are offering the greatest bargain offer ever heard of in Coats, Suits, Skirts, Dresses, Waists and Furs. If you want a higher class garment for less money come to our new store.

The
Mearick
Cloak
Co.
NEW STORE
Second and Main Sts.,
DAYTON, OHIO

LECTURE COURSE.

The second number of the lecture course will be next Thursday evening, November 19th, Dr. LINCOLN WIRT. All who heard Dr. Wirt at the Chautauque, in "The Conquest of the Tropics" will recall with interest his thrilling account of his arduous explorations and the faithfulness of "Whiskers". After three years in the Arctic, Dr. Wirt spent the seven succeeding years in world-wide travel, largely in the Tropics. As guest of King Chulalongkorn of Siam, he sojourned a month at the Mamoon Court. He travelled extensively in China, Japan, the Philippines, Australia, New Zealand, and throughout the South Sea Islands, Africa and Europe. Dr. Wirt's lecture next Thursday night will be with reference to the seven years' experience with the title "Under the Southern Cross." Only \$25 to hear the great man. We want you to hear him but there are four other entertainments just as good to follow and Nichols is one of them. There are just a few season tickets left and for \$1.00 you will see 5 splendid entertainments. Play open Monday, November 18th, at 2 p. m., when everyone will be given an equal opportunity to get your choice of seats.

Dr. McChesney Seminary Dean.

Dr. W. R. McChesney was made dean of the R. P. Seminary and Professor of systematic and pastoral theology at a meeting of the Seminary Board, Tuesday. Appointments of Prof. Allen and Jurkai were also confirmed. Members of the board from a distance were: Dr. J. L. Chesnut, of Centerville, Ill., and Rev. W. G. Gailley, of Philadelphia.

The faculty of the seminary and college along with the students of each institution sent telegrams Tuesday to Rev. and Mrs. John B. Taylor and family, formerly of Cincinnati, who sailed Wednesday to enter the mission field in China.

GIVE YOUTH A CHANCE

The seasons come often. Youth comes only once. Every boy and every girl have a right to have a good time while young. The Agricultural Commission of Ohio will urge every county fair to offer premiums for something that boys and girls can do and display.

County fairs are drawing public money. The public is entitled to value received.

One county fair, 1914, enrolled 144 boys in live stock judging contest and the same number in a corn-quality contest display. Twenty counties had live stock judging contests.

The Commission recommends following contests:
1. Stock judging.
2. Corn quality and scoring.
3. Educational exhibits by schools.
4. Baking-canning-sewing.
5. Pig growing.
6. Home and table decorating.
County fair boards should have a list of every boy and girl between the ages of 12 and 21, in the county, and give all an invitation to do something for the fair.
Give youth a chance.

QUARANTINE ON GREENE COUNTY

The spread of the dread foot and mouth disease among hogs and cattle has caused this county to be placed under quarantine, neither shipments in or out being permitted. No cases have been found here, but the disease has been discovered near the county line in Fayette county where 128 head of hogs, 58 head of cattle and 12 sheep belonging to John Perrell will be killed. It was fortunate that the show herds of Meadow Brook and F. B. Turnbull returned home some time ago before the disease was discovered. Had these cattle been caught in the infected districts they probably would have been held for many weeks. A stable of fine running horses was not permitted to enter Kentucky and the animals had to be held at Cincinnati until quarantine is lifted. Within the past few weeks several car loads of cattle have been shipped in from the West, but as yet nothing has developed.

One of the worst things farmers in this section are having to combat is the hog cholera. Scores of breeders have lost almost their entire herds. Many have murdered their feeding hogs and thus have saved them, but the loss to stock hogs will amount to many thousands dollars.

Arnold Will Not Resign.

Now that the election is over attention is drawn to the legislature and probable legislation. While the Republicans have a majority in both the Senate and House it will be necessary to have Democratic votes to pass measures with a two-thirds vote or to attach the emergency clause exempting legislation from the referendum.

While the drys have contended that the Maine Rule feature of the constitution just adapted repealed all laws governing saloons, especially Sunday closing, the vote has been held differently. It is known that the liquor interests are preparing to offer a bill this coming winter to repeal the Sunday closing law. The demand for such a law comes from Cincinnati where the saloons have not been closed on Sunday for five years until Gov. Cox enforced the state law. To pass such a measure the Republican majority must have Democratic votes and from surface indications this party will not lend influence to any legislation wanted in the Senate. Again the House is said to be "dry" by a small margin while the "wets" have a good working majority in the Senate. In the latter body the "wets" can only hold control by the assistance of the Democratic liberals.

The latest "wet" movement is to urge John H. Arnold, of Columbus, recently elected lieutenant governor to resign in that he has not had parliamentary experience and allow Governor Willis to appoint Albert Morrell of Cincinnati, the "wet" candidate before the primary who was defeated. Arnold is "dry" to the core and the "wets" want one of their own to preside over the Senate. Arnold has answered that he will hold onto the office he was elected for, not desiring an appointive position with the administration even though at a greater salary than he will receive.

No Stock Show This Year.

Lawrence Shaw, shows at Chicago, has received word that the show this year has been called off owing to the foot and mouth disease. Last week the dairy herds held their show in that city and as a result more than 800 head of the finest dairy cattle in the country are held in quarantine. Many of the herds are placed at two and a half million. It is well that the show for the best breeds was called off.

G. E. JOBE A DELEGATE TO ROAD CONGRESS.

Mr. G. E. Jobe is a delegate to the Fourth American Road Congress held in Atlanta, Georgia, from the 9th to 14th. Mr. Jobe left last week for Atlanta and is expected home the last of this week.

A great highway is planned from Chicago to Florida, through Atlanta and the government is to be asked to finance the project. It is proposed that a commission be appointed to handle this expenditure. The states through which this road passes will build "feeders" and also maintain the main road after completion.

About 2000 delegates are attending the convention. There is a large exhibition of road machinery and government exhibit of good road construction.

CHURCH SERVICES.

R. P. CHURCH (MAIN STREET)
Teachers' meeting Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.
Sabbath School Sabbath morning at 9:30 o'clock.
Preaching by Mr. Kenneth Reid Anderson, of Xenia Theological Seminary Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.
O. E. Prayer meeting Sabbath at 8:30.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7. Subject, "The Liquor License System." Habakkuk 2:12.

—The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will hold a Thanksgiving market Wednesday, Nov. 18th, at J. W. Johnson's.

—NOTICE—I am now prepared to do all kinds of dray work, moving and hauling. We will do your work when called on promptly. Try me and see.

HARVEY MAYNERS.

FOR RENT—Five rooms and part of stable on Mrs. Condon's property on Chillicothe St. Inquire of Mrs. Reed on the premises, or of Frank Bird. Rent, \$5.00 per month, in advance.

ANOTHER VOTE PROBABLY NEXT YEAR.

The trustees of the Ohio Anti-Saloon League will determine if a statewide prohibition amendment will be submitted to Ohio voters next year. The adoption of the "wetters" amendment by the state and the demand is for an early opportunity to wipe out the new amendment by means of Prohibition.

There is much in the election returns to encourage the drys. Of the 54 counties, 71 carried prohibitory for Prohibition and more than that number voted against the sale. Twenty-eight counties now are needed for Prohibition, while only 12 stand, Warren and possibly one other dry county voted wet.

The drys captured a number of counties they did not expect. It was a surprise to both wet and dry to have Stark, Summitt and Mahoning counties go for Prohibition, and the surprise was not when counties like Crawford, Hamilton and Mercer landed on the dry side.

That fraud and corrupt money piled up the big wet majority in Hamilton county is held by the wetters, and the drys will go into the state to back up their demand for a recount of the vote. It was the Hamilton county vote which fastened the wet amendment on the state and will open from 1500 to 2000 saloons in territory now dry. Every saloon in these dry counties will be established by the vote of wet Cincinnati.

Dozens of municipal option elections will be called during the next thirty days. Petitions are now in circulation in many towns. The people in dry counties are now beginning to realize what home means, as put into the constitution by Cincinnati voters.

Brewers are now praying for a law under which wet vote may be kept saloons open on Sunday. A bill to that effect is being prepared for the legislature when it meets in January.

THE SONG OF THE MILL DAM.

I love to sit
Out in
The song of the mill dam.

Like a lark on my heart worn and weary,
A footstep like a pathway o' trials,
With never a rest or a pausing
Between the long lagging miles.

Oh, there never was a song half so tender,
No tune half so sacred to me
As this soft sighing lull of the water,
In its rollicking melody.

Nor could a mortal bard frame a lyric
To breathe a more touching refrain
Than is crooned by its choir of voices
Softly over and over again.

Till all nature is bound in its rhythm
And hushed in a silence profound,
As the birds trill a sweet benediction
From the leafy throngs all around.

How oft thru the lengthening shadows
That group at the foot of the hill
Have I watched the slumbers of brigat
In the rolling melody.

As it glides from the channel so still—
All bathed in the fast fading sunbeams,
In colors of amber and gold,
That hint of a shower of diamonds
Such as only the fairies behold;
Then gone in a leap o'er the chasm,
And shattered to fragments of white.

As they dash down upon the cliffs
In a turmoil of grim delight.
So I sink back against the cushions
With my eyes half-closed to the song
That seems to lift with the voices
Of days, happy days, gone so long.

And a host of vague smiling faces
Are caught in the maze of my dreams
To shine for a moment of splendor
Like the fire-flies' fitful gleams
That show here and there in the hollow
And the thick-wooded grove just beyond.

Tangled with vines of the ivy
And decked with flowers and frond,
Of the friends and dear ones:
The old miller with long locks of snow;

The boys and fair school-day sweethearts
That I knew in the long, long ago,
And it seems I can hear their soft pleading
Most like angels from paradise
Calling from out the gray shadows
That close in about the skies:

"O come, weary one, we are waiting;
O come, join our pensive refrain;
O come, your life work is over,
O come, join our band once again."

Now the lights have come in the village,
The stars show in heaven's great dome,
I must end my wandering verses,
And take my lonely way home,
For the "sketchers" are simply outrageous,
They fill the soft summer air,
And drown out the song of the mill dam,
As they steal up from your rocky lair.

—M. F. R.

FOR SALE—Eight head of Rams
Shropshire and 4 Delaine.
H. B. BARNES.

NOMINATIONS ARE NOW IN ORDER.

The Lebanon Star nominates Hon. Simon D. Fees for President of the United States. We are perfectly agreeable. Why not the President of Antioch College to succeed the President of Princeton University? But it is rather early. Many things may happen between now and 1916.—Gazette.

The Herald suggests that the M. C. first be tendered the liquor license commissioners in this county. Certainly there is some more qualified. Having urged the constitutional convention to license saloons and then temperance people to adopt the provisions, which was done, we can think of no more fitting tribute to the county's delegate than to have him honored as the first Liquor License Commissioner in Greene county. Who second the motion?

LOSING SIDE OF MAIL ORDER TRADING.

Hans Garbus, a German farmer of Iowa, has discovered that the benefits which appear on the surface as attaching to the mail order plan sometimes spell disaster and has written a very interesting story of his views in a certain farm paper. Here is a part of his story:

"We farmers need awakening to the fact that we have unmistakably reached the period where we must think and plan. I am one of the slow German farmers that had to be shown, and I am now giving my experience that others may profit, for knowledge is more expensive now than ten years ago.

"Twenty-nine years ago I began my farm career. I had an old team and \$50. Our furniture was mostly home-made—chairs, cupboard and lounge made from dry goods boxes, neatly covered with ten-cent cretonne by my girl wife. We rented eight acres. Being a boy of good habits I got all needed machinery and groceries at our home merchants—on credit, until fall crops were sold. The first year was a wet season and I did not make enough to pay creditors. I went to work on date of promise and explained conditions, paying as

As soon as I owned these few acres the mail order houses began sending me catalogues, and gradually I began sending my loose change to them, letting my accounts stand in my home town where I had gotten my accommodation when I needed it.

"We then had one of the thriftiest little villages in the state—good line of business in all the branches, merchants who were willing to help an honest fellow over a bad year, and a town full of people who came twice a week to trade and visit. Our little country town supported a library, high school, band, ball team, and we had big celebrations every year.

"A farm near a live town soon doubles in value. I sold my forty acres at a big advance and bought an eighty, gradually adding to it until I had 200 acres of the best land in Iowa. I then felt no need of asking favors, and found it easy to patronize the mail order agents that came almost weekly to our door. I regret to say that I was the first in the county to make up a neighborhood bill and send it to a mail order house. Though we got bit every once in a while, we got in the habit of sending away for stuff.

"Gradually our merchants lessened their stock of goods—for lack of patronage. Finally we began to realize that when we needed a bolt quickly for machinery, or clothing for sickness or death, we had to wait and send away for it, which wasn't so pleasant. One by one our merchants moved to places where they were appreciated, and men of less energy moved in. Gradually our town has gone down, our business houses are empty, our schools, churches and walks are going down, we have no band, no library nor ball team. There is no business done in town, and there are no taxes to keep things up. Hotel is closed for lack of travel. Go down to the depot when the freight pulls in and you will see the usual mail order packages.

"Nine years ago my farm was worth \$195 an acre; today I'd have a hard matter to sell it at \$167 an acre. It is too far from a live town—no every farmer has said that wants to buy. He wants a place near schools and churches, where his children can have advantages. I have awakened to the fact that in helping to pull the town down it has cost me \$5,000 in nine years."

—Order your Fresh Fish of Hinton's.

—Fresh Fish all the time at Hinton's.
—Fresh Fish at Hinton's.

BANKING BUSINESS

You have more or less of it. Possibly it is with us. Such being the case you know something of our service. But if not a patron wouldn't it be well for you to become one?

Our Savings Department

is calculated to serve all classes; the old and the young, the poor and the rich. It receives deposits from \$1 up to \$5,000 and allows four per cent interest, compounded semi-annually.

Greene County, Ohio, Bonds for Sale.

THE EXCHANGE BANK, CEDARVILLE, OHIO.

POTATOES

Will have car on track first of the coming week. Price at car will be

60c Per Bushel

55c Per Bushel Lots

55c Per Bushel

Bring Sacks or Barrels with you. In this car will be 20 Barrels

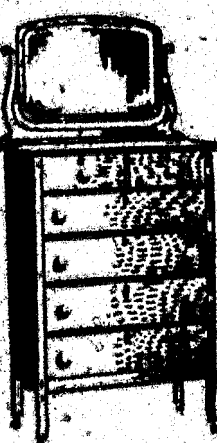
No. 1 Baldwin Apples \$2.75
PRICE PER BARREL

25 Bu. Choice Yellow Onions 90c
PRICE PER BUSHEL

P. S. Watch the Xenia Daily Gazette for EXACT DATE the car will be in.

Robt. Bird

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Quartered Oak Chiffonier, 34 inches wide, plate mirror 18x24 inches, \$15.00 Special...

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An opportunity for you to get that odd Chiffonier you have been wanting at an exceedingly low price.

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Other Chiffoniers left from Bedroom Suites at equally low prices.

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Come in and take a look at their swatch
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No Substitutes

RETURN to the grocer all sub-
stitutes sent you for Royal Bak-
ing Powder. There is no sub-
stitute for ROYAL. Royal is a pure,
cream of tartar baking powder, and
healthful. Powders offered as sub-
stitutes are made from alum.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

I am now ready to open a class in
piano music. Mrs. C. W. Miles.

Mr. Murray Marshall is sick with
pneumonia.

Mr. Andrew Jackson, who has
been afflicted with rheumatism,
left Tuesday for Martinsville, Ind.,
where he will take the water baths.
He was accompanied by his son-in-
law, Mr. H. H. Cherry.

Mr. Al Boyd is again confined to
his room after being able to be
about for a couple of weeks.

Mr. Joseph McAfee has been
quite sick this week suffering with
a nervous breakdown.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Sullenberger
were in Oxford over Sabbath.

Rev. J. W. Patton went to Dela-
ware Saturday, remaining over
Sabbath with his daughter, Helen,
who is attending college there. In
the absence of Rev. Patton, Dr.
Story, of Springfield, filled the
M. E. pulpit.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McClellan
arrived home last Thursday from
their wedding trip. They are
fitting up their home on Mr. Mc-
Clellan's farm west of Xenia.

Mr. John Marshall visited in
Indianapolis and other Indiana
points last week.

Mrs. Lida Archer leaves today for
Ashville, N. C., where she has been
for more than a year. Enroute she
will visit in Marysville, Tenn.

Mrs. Ora Ramsey, of New York
City, is making her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Allen Haines, a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stewart of
near Selma entertained about 175
guests in a very pleasant manner
last Thursday evening.

Get the good things for your
Thanksgiving dinner at the market.

Mr. S. C. Wright, financial agent
of Cedarville College, left Monday
on a trip through Indiana and
Illinois, in the interest of the
college.

The O. E. Society of the R. P.
church gave a social last Friday
evening in the church parlors.

Mrs. Nettie Harrison and son,
Howard, are occupying Mrs. J. A.
Harrison's farm until the first of
March when they will go to their
own farm now occupied by Wm.
Rohlar.

Order your chicken for Thank-
sgiving at the Ladies Aid market.

Don't forget the M. E. Ladies'
Aid market.

Mrs. J. W. Dixon was hostess to
the Kadantra Club Thursday after-
noon.

Mrs. J. W. Tarbox has been visit-
ing her daughter, Miss Rachel, who
is attending Muskingum college at
New Concord.

CIDER! CIDER!

Pure untreated sweet cider direct
from the press and made from
choice apples.
Barrels \$6.00 f. o. b. Chillicothe
50 Gallons \$6.00 " " "
10 Gal. Keg \$2.00 " " "
10 Gallons \$1.00 " " "

LEROY OPP.

Plenty of new Worn Meal at the Cedarville Flour Mills

All temperance workers are re-
quested to attend a meeting at the
Y. M. C. A. in Xenia, Saturday at
2 p. m. to hear reports and formu-
late plans for the future.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. McChesney
were at home Tuesday to about one
hundred guests including the mem-
bers of the college faculty and their
wives and the college students. A
three course dinner was served.
One of the honored guests was Dr.
J. L. Chestnut, of Coulterville, Ill.

A meeting of council was held
Monday evening at which time the
light situation was discussed with
representatives of the company.
Another meeting will be held to-
night at which time the light
company will have an expert present.
It has been proposed to change the
system of lighting and the company
wants a renewal of the franchise.

LISTEN! One of the best
bakers in town said "I thought I
wouldn't use home flour but I am
using Golden Rule Flour and I
never had such nice bread and
cakes." So try a sack of Cedar-
ville Flour next time.

Our Own Country.

How fortunate this great country of
ours is not involved in a network of
"entangling alliances."—Exchange.

The "splendid isolation" of the United
States was never more splendid and
impressive than now. —New York
World.

America has two things to be thank-
ful for in the present time of armed up-
surge. One is the Atlantic ocean and the
other is the Pacific ocean. —Chicago
News.

German Cleanings.

The total value of Germany's live
stock is estimated at \$3,000,000,000.

Eighty German cities subsidize the
aters in sums from a few hundred dol-
lars up to \$40,000 a year.

To make it easier for citizens to own
their houses, Dusseldorf has arranged
with a Munich bank to take first mort-
gages on houses, while Dusseldorf it-
self takes second liens.

English Etchings.

It is estimated that in London 25
per cent of days are wet.

There are no fewer than fifty Gros-
venor streets in the London postal area.
A census of the buildings in London
shows that for every 100,000 of the
population there are forty-five places
of worship and six theaters.

In less than a year the horse is likely
to disappear from the British postal
delivery business, his place in the coun-
try being taken by motorcycles with
side car attachments.

Pretty Hunt.

Elderly Lady-Doctor. I am troubled
with a bulimic condition that I am being
followed by a man. What sort of cure
would you suggest? Honest Physician
—A mirror. —Cleveland Leader.

Logical.

"A disease should be attacked at its
source."

"Then if a man's disease is heredi-
tary I suppose you'd doctor his father
for it, eh?" —Exchange.

No fire with men as if God saw you
so speak with God as if men heard
you. —Seneca.

Worry Will Kill a Cat.
A good philosopher says: "Never
worry today; put it off until tomorrow,
which never comes." Some people
beat that; they let the other fellow do
all the worrying. —Palestine Herald.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased
to learn that there is at least one drugged
disease that science has been able to cure in
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Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now
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thereby destroying the foundation of the
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assortment and variety of Over-
coats, the equal of which you
would find in New York or
Chicago alone.

Nearly 5000 Overcoats, made up in
104 distinct styles, of every conceivable
fabric and pattern are here arranged that
you may inspect them, compare them,
enjoy them, select your choice, with the
knowledge that you have had the pick
of the world's markets.

Our windows give an intimation
only of what awaits you in the store;
you owe it to yourself to see these and
to accept the advantages which this
economic exhibition offers you.

Do not delay. You gain nothing by
waiting. Come now while this perfect
collection awaits you at

\$10 \$15 \$20 \$25 \$30

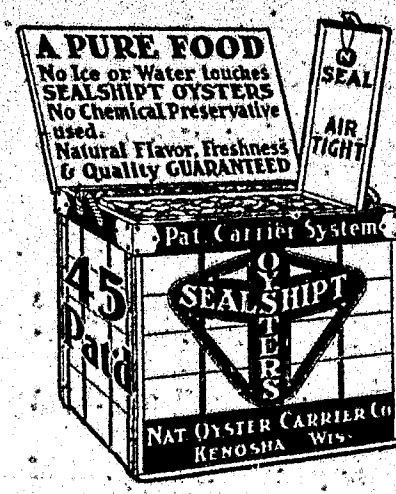
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—Moral: are neither local nor optional. —All drunkards began by drinking moderately.

—Miss Grace Griffith is leader for the Christmas Union Sabbath evening. —Mr. David Turner contributed some fine fruit to the parsonage last Sunday. Thanks are hereby tendered. Our orchard is somewhat limited in extent.

—Messrs. Geo. W. Rife and Roy Waddle are leaders for the W. M. S. on Wednesday, November 18, at the church.

—The quarterly conference of officers and teachers of the Sunday school met Thursday evening in union with the monthly prayer meeting. Rev. W. S. Wallace, of Springfield, O., addressed the meeting.

—What do you think of the Wesley Chapel titling report? Could we do something similar and experience like blessings?

—We are to attend the first number of the lecture course next Tuesday evening.

—From 500 B. C. to the present European conflict the wars of the world have not killed as many men per year as the seasons of America do.

—Mr. Clarence Finney placed the occupants of the parsonage under obligations to him for some very choice pumpkins one day last week.

—The most stupendous folly that the world ever witnessed with one exception is the European war; the exception being the toleration of the licensed saloon in the United States. —Billy Sunday says you might as well try to run a powder factory in hell as to try to regulate the liquor traffic.

—Rev. C. M. Ritchie visited his nephew, W. B. McClure, at Xenia Seminary on last Tuesday.

—Nothing is ever settled until it is settled right. The vote of National Prohibition is coming. The vote November 3 only postponed the day of final victory, for this nation is going to put away the licensed liquor traffic as it and out away four other national evils within the last fifty years, viz: Slavery, dueling, lotteries and Mormonism—these all now being under the ban of the law.

—The minister, Parson Downchurch, was at dinner with the Chaffin family. Johnnie spoke up and said: "Can a church whistle?"

"Why do you ask, Johnnie?" asked the clergyman, frowning.

"Because pa owes \$12 back pew rent, and he says he is going to let the church whistle for it."

After the clergyman had taken his departure there was a vocal solo by Johnnie.

—Count your blessings. Get ready for Thanksgiving. Something depends on a careful review of the year if we are going to obey the President's proclamation November 26. The thankful are the thankful.

—We missed the presence of Mr. Henry Kyles, Mr. Joseph Wadman, Mr. Jeremiah Finney, three of our aged members from the communion last Sabbath week. We hope they may improve in strength and be spared yet for many years.

—We are grateful to those who have sent in items of late. Pull the bell rope frequently and make this column interesting.

—Getting out of the ruts is pretty difficult for some people because they are perfectly satisfied to remain as they are. How about you and me?

—Earl Collins met with an accident the last of the week that kept him and his father home from church. We are glad, however, he is getting all right again.

—Miss Reva Moore continues to improve, and will soon be out again we hope.

—We hope to see you all at the opening number of the lecture course next Tuesday evening. To hear the Sprague on "Slavery and the Bible" tickets have been sold this year than ever before.

—Mr. Samuel Miller has added to the appearance of his property by building a fine grand old walk in front of and out to the street.

—Mr. Omer Sparrow's parents have removed to the home formerly occupied by Mrs. Sarah Griffith, on Clinton street.

—None too early to be thinking of Christmas and what you shall do—not

what you will receive, but what you are to do for others. Remember, that there are many ways of producing happiness, and lasting happiness, besides gift giving. You can make up a list of not more than 20 people to make it your happiness to find and cheerily greet with a "Merry Christmas." You can think of at least a dozen persons who need you and for whom you can perform some kindly deed. You can make up with the fellow you quarreled with, and thenceforth be friends, explaining to him that you do it because it is Christmas. Christmas is the greatest day in the year, and it will be here before you expect it. Put on your thinking cap and determine what you will do with it.

—The one thing to keep in mind about this war is that the people have had nothing to do with it, except the men to march out and be shot and the women to stay at home and hunger.

The men who are to do the dying in battle, who are to pay the bills afterward, ought to have the privilege of saying whether or not war shall be declared. The women, also, who bear the brunt of the hardships, who must rear the orphaned children and look after the neglected shops and crops, surely ought to have their say.

—People often ask the meaning of the legal expression "nisi prius." Literally interpreted it means "unless before," a name given to the sittings of a court for the trial of civil causes. Judges on circuit, besides trying prisoners, have the power to give decisions in cases of complaints between private parties and when so acting are called judges of "nisi prius." Formerly when the circuits were less frequent the sheriff was commanded "by writ" to bring the jury and witnesses from the county where the action arose to Westminster on a certain day, but when the assizes became frequent a "nisi prius" clause was inserted in the writ containing these words: "Unless before that day our justices shall come to your county and take the assizes there." As it happened that the assizes always did take place before the date named in the writ the clause was practically useless and now remains only as a name for those civil causes to which until recently it referred.—Dumdee Advertiser

—Blood and Thunder Drama. One of the most successful productions at the "Old Vic" was a play—written without Dickens's permission—about "The Two Gentlemen of Verona" by the lord chamberlain owing to the realistic way in which Bill Sikes murdered Nancy. His lordship's jurisdiction did not extend to what were then called the "minor theaters," so the play was for many years a standing dish at the "Old Vic" and the galleries with fierce emotions, no matter how many times they had seen it. "Nancy was always dragged round the stage by her hair," writes John Holingshead, "and after this effort Sikes always looked up defiantly at the girl lery. He was always answered by one loud and fearful curse, repeated by the chorus mass like a Handel festival chorus. When Sikes seemed to dash Nancy's brains out on the stage a thousand outraged voices, which sound ed like ten thousand, filled the theater and deafened the audience below."—London Chronicle

—First War Correspondent. The first war correspondent, according to a theory propounded by Sutherland Edwards, appears to have been Homer, who was sent by the editor of an Argos paper called the Chronos to describe the siege of Troy. Hostilities lasted only about seven weeks, and when they came to an end the Greek chiefs were in no hurry to return to their wives. Homer was a good sort, and as he drew a large salary and a handsome allowance for expenses from the Chronos he readily accepted the scheme propounded by the wise Argives—to keep the story going to the columns of his paper so long as he could manage to write about it. His letters were too good not to publish, and meantime the Greek chiefs had an enjoyable time at Troy and elsewhere. Released in book form as "The Iliad" these early war correspondents have enjoyed a wider circulation than was possible even in the columns of the Chronos.—London Graphic

—An Unknown Chess Genius. When last year's previous to the 1890 chess international tournament, visited Manchester he was opposed in a simultaneous performance by an unknown player, who had obtained permission from the club secretary to take a board against the champion. The player put up quite a fair game, but was finally mated. Then he inquired of Leaker to know whether he had erred in the conduct of the play.

"Well," said Leaker, "your play has been somewhat peculiar. I notice that you have not once moved your knights."

"No," replied the player, "the fact is that I have not as yet quite mastered the move of the knights, so I thought it safer not to move them at all."

The stranger had unconsciously conceded his famous adversary the odds of two knights, not to mention the handicap of his cramped position.

—Not Very Busy. "Recorder of Deeds," read the sign over the door of a handsome building on one of the more prominent of the golden streets.

A new arrival within the pearly gates entered.

"The recording of deeds interests me," he announced. "I used to be a lawyer in the other world. But why is it that all the clerks are working except you?" he inquired of the only idle member of the force.

"I record the good deeds," explained that member courteously.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—Totally Different. "I heard that your engagement to Adela has been broken, and I presume that it was caused by your feeling of delicacy at hearing that she had inherited a large fortune."

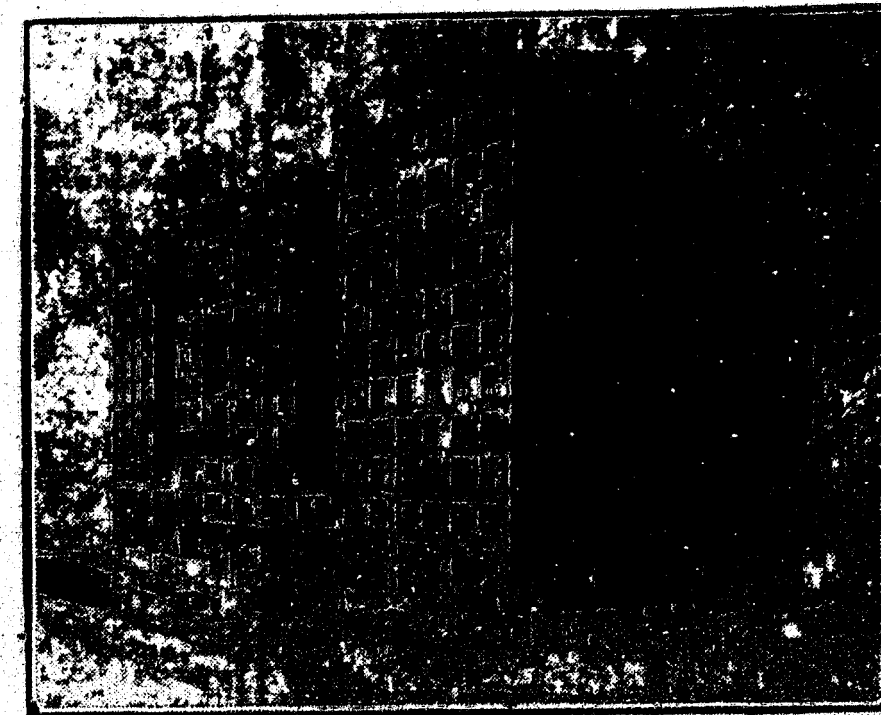
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